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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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This is responsive to the Office Action mailed November 7, 2006, the term for response to which expires on February 7, 2007.

**Amendments to the Claims** are set forth in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1 and 13 are amended, claims 2-4, 6-12, 14, 16-22 and 33-44 are maintained, claims 23-32 and 45 are cancelled, and claims 5, 15 and 33 are withdrawn.

**Remarks** begin on page 13 of this paper.